BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 10 to 11	7 to 8
Ragi	... 25 to 30	25 to 28.

State of standing crops fair.

Ragi under harvest.

Prospect of outturn 8 to 10 annas.

Cattle in good condition.

Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are in good condition. Ragi is harvested and heaped. The other punaji grains have come to harvest.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good. Fever prevails in Dodballapur, Channapatna, Devanhalli and Magadi Taluks and in Closepet Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Vaisakhi paddy is being sown in all the taluks of the district except Mulbagal and Malur; kadale, ground-nuts and jola are being sown in Chintamani, Chikballapur and Bagepalli, respectively; ragi, samé and karthika paddy are being harvested in almost all parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Gubbi and Kunigal; paddy in Maddagiri, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal; jola in Maddagiri and Gubbi; kulthi in Tumkur, Koratagere, Gubbi, Tiptur and Turuvekere; wild gingelly in Gubbi; castor in Turuvekere and Pavagada; cotton in Pavagada and ragi throughout the district are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Koratagere, Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada; jola in Maddagiri and Pavagada; wheat and Bengal gram in Maddagiri; Bengal gram and coriander in Turuvekere are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, paddy, ragi, kulthi, black and green grams, Bengal gram, togare, ballar, castor, cotton, chillies, coriander, thadagane, haraka and mulberry are reported to be in a fair condition. Black and green grams, togare and kulthi in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk and, ballar and Bengal gram in parts of the T. Narsipur Taluk are reported to have been attacked by insects. Paddy, ragi, kulthi, black and green grams, chillies and thadagane are being harvested in parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, kar-paddy, kulthi, castor, cow-gram, pigeon-pea, kadale, black gram and huchellu in Hassan; sugar-cane in Belur and Channarayapatna; ragi, cow-gram, sugar-cane, paddy and chillies in Arsikere; cow-gram, pigeon-pea, thadagane etc., in Hole-Narsipur; pigeon-pea, kulthi and castor in Arkalgud; and cow-gram, pigeon-pea and kulthi in Alur are in good condition. Pigeon-pea, black gram, paddy, chillies and sugar-cane in Hassan; paddy in Manjarabad, Hole-Narsipur and Arkalgud; ragi and chillies in Arsikere and paddy and ragi in Channarayapatna are being harvested and garlic sown in Hassan.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks available.

11. Public health generally good. Fever and cold prevail in parts of Hole-Narsipur.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Paddy and areca in Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks; sugar-cane in the Tirthahalli Taluk and, kulthi in the Shikarpur Taluk are being harvested. Bengal gram, cow-gram and pigeon-pea are reported to be damaged in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks, owing to the recent unseasonable showers. Wheat and yennegar are being sown in the Honnali Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health good. Ague is prevailing in parts of Shimoga, Sagar, Sorab and Tirthahalli Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Sagar Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water abundant.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. State of standing crops good. Paddy is being harvested generally in all the taluks. Cardamom and arecanut are being picked-up in the Malnad Taluks. No damage is reported.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Ague prevails in the Chikmagalur Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Ragi, kulthi, Italian millet and paddy in the Chitaldrug Taluk; ragi, Italian millet, kambu and samé in the Hosdurga Taluk; and ragi, Italian millet, green gram and paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk were harvested during the week.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder are reported to be available.

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